

Cranston-Enterprise



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Marvin Abney

Chairman, House Finance Committee

State House

Providence, RI 02903

Dear Chairman Abney:

On behalf of Cranston Enterprises, I write to support speedy passage of H-5223, the IGT/Bally's legislation.

The purpose of this legislation is clear: It will maximize economic development for the State and keep IGT's 1,100 jobs. It also will increase investment in Rhode Island through new construction at Twin River Casino Hotel in Lincoln and ensure that the gaming floor and its slot machines continue to drive over \$300 million a year to the State. This extraordinary commitment of resources by these two Rhode Island-based businesses is extraordinary – made even more so against the backdrop of a global health and economic crisis.

We urge immediate passage. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ryan Durfee

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